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REMARKS

By this Amendment claim 1 has been amended to recite that the attachment means comprises an attachment hole with inner threads (see specification at page 7, lines 19-21). Neither Persoons nor Albrektsson et al. would suggest an anchoring element having an attachment means with a hole having inner threads.

A prompt allowance of this application is now requested.

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